

1 DR MANAGEMENT, LLC, et al.,
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4 No. C-05-1010 MMC
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6 Plaintiffs,
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8 v.
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10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al.,
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12 Defendants
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14 **ORDER DENYING PARTIES' JOINT
15 MOTION TO CONTINUE STATUS
16 CONFERENCE**

17 Before the Court is the parties' Joint Status Conference Statement and Motion to
18 Continue Status Conference, filed March 22, 2007. The motion is based on assertedly
19 continuing settlement discussions.

20 On October 6, 2006, the parties jointly represented to the Court that plaintiffs had
21 submitted a written offer to defendant on September 13, 2006 and that defendant was "now
22 processing the offer in accordance with the standard procedures of the Department of
23 Justice." From the date such offer was submitted, more than six months have elapsed
24 without a settlement having been reached.

25 Under such circumstances, the Court hereby DENIES the motion to continue the
26 Status Conference. The parties shall appear on March 30, 2007 as previously ordered,
27 and be prepared to discuss the trial schedule, which, to date, remains as initially set.

28 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: March 27, 2007


MAXINE M. CHESNEY
United States District Judge